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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: J. M. Mundt

Serial No.: 09/737,327 Case No.: 20589Y

Filed: December 15, 2000

For: BLISTER PACKAGE FOR PHARMACEUTICAL  
TREATMENT CARD

Art Unit:  
3629

Examiner:  
M. J. Fisher

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Box Issue Fee  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.48 (a) (1)**

Sir:

Please add the following named persons to the above-identified application,  
for which a Notice of Allowance was issued on June 15, 2004:

Charles Kerins

09/17/2004 FFANAIA3 00000002 132755 09737327 Martin Hulick

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Stephen Hamaday

Deborah McQuiston

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BY: Stephanie B. Riccardi DATE: 9/14/04

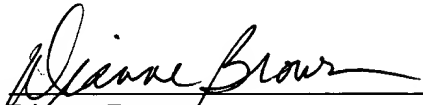
Please find attached to this petition the following:

- 1) Statements from each of the inventors being added that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent;
- 2) An oath/declaration from the inventors being added; and
- 3) Written consent of both assignees, Merck & Co., Inc. and Sharp Corporation.

Please note that James M. Mundt, who is still currently employed at Merck & Co., Inc., is still an inventor on the above-identified application.

Payment of the fee specified under 37 C.F.R. 1.48 (a)(4) is set forth on the accompanying transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,

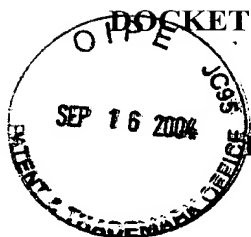
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Date: September 13, 2004

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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CHANGE OF INVENTORSHIP  
IN PATENT APPLICATION PURSUANT TO 1.48(a)(5) OR (c)(5)**

**Merck & Co., Inc.**  
*(type or print name of assignee)*

owner by assignment of the above patent application

☒ in the assignment being recorded concurrently on September 14, 2004.

☐ in the assignment recorded in the PTO on .

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hereby consents to the amendment of the inventorship of this patent application as requested

☒ in the Request For Correction Of Inventorship Of Patent Application

☐ in the papers mailed to the PTO on .

The undersigned, being authorized to act on behalf of the assignee for patent matters, hereby consents.

Date September 13, 2004

Mark R. Daniel  
Signature

Mark R. Daniel  
Name of Signatory

Patent Counsel  
Title

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**STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF PETITION TO  
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I, Charles Kerins, state that:

1. An error in inventorship exists in the above-identified patent application. Mr. Mundt, who I understand use to be employed by Merck & Co., was originally listed as the sole inventor when this patent application was filed. That is incorrect because I along with Martin Hulick, Stephen Hamaday, Deborah McQuiston and Mr. Mundt jointly invented the subject matter claimed.
2. The error arose because the above-identified application was originally filed without my knowledge. When this application was originally filed, I was employed by the company that is now known as Sharp Corporation. I understand that another company Merck & Co., Inc. originally filed the patent application. After the patent application had been filed, Merck & Co., contacted Sharp through our attorneys Woodcock Washburn LLP to determine if anyone from Sharp was an inventor based on some joint work by Sharp and Merck. I have reviewed the pending claims and the patent application and determined that I along with Mr. Mundt, Martin Hulick, Stephen Hamaday and Deborah McQuiston are joint inventors of the subject matter that is being claimed.
3. I understand that, to correct this error in inventorship, I am being added as an inventor.
4. This error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on my part. In fact, I was not even aware of the application until after it had been filed.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this statement is directed.

Date: 9.7.2004

Charles G. Kerins  
Charles Kerins

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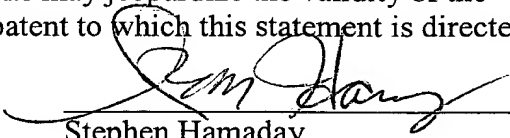
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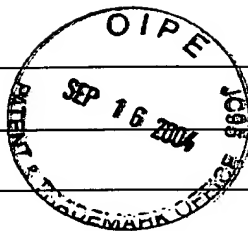
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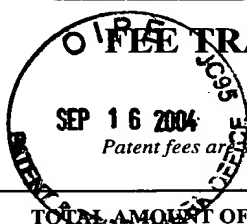


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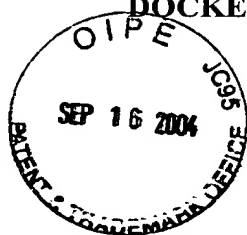
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**In Re Application of:**

**James M. Mundt**

**Confirmation No.: 9517**

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**Group Art Unit: 3629**

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**For: Blister Package For Pharmaceutical Treatment Card**

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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CHANGE INVENTORSHIP  
OF PATENT APPLICATION PURSUANT TO 1.48(a)(5)**

**Sharp Corporation**  
*(type or print name of assignee)*

owner by assignment of the above patent application

☒ in the assignment being recorded concurrently herewith

☐ in the assignment recorded in the PTO on

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hereby consents to the amendment of the inventorship of this patent application as requested

☒ in the Request For Correction Of Inventorship Of Patent Application

☐ in the papers mailed to the PTO on

The undersigned, being authorized to act on behalf of the assignee for patent matters, hereby consents.

Date

David Thomson  
Signature

David Thomson  
Name of Signatory

VP-FINANCE & CFO SECRETARY & TREASURER  
Title



**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, we **Charles Kerins, Martin Hulick, Stephen Hamaday and Deborah McQuiston**, hereinafter referred to as the assignors, residing respectively at **Wilmington, Delaware, Warrington, Pennsylvania, Collegeville, Pennsylvania, and Conshohocken, Pennsylvania** are joint inventors of certain inventions or improvements for which we have made application for Letters Patent to the United States, identified as Application No. **09/737,327**, filed **December 15, 2000**, entitled **Blister Package For Pharmaceutical Treatment Card**; and

WHEREAS, **Sharp Corporation**, hereinafter referred to as the assignee, of **23 Carland Road, Conshohocken, Pennsylvania**, a corporation of **Pennsylvania**, is desirous of acquiring assignors' entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions or improvements and in and to the said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in any and all countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound hereby, we, the said assignors, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to said assignee, our entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions or improvements and said application and any and all continuations, divisions and renewals of and substitutes for said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in the United States and any and all other countries, and any reissue or reissues or extension or extensions of said Letters Patent, including the full right to sue for and collect damages for past violations of provisional rights having arisen from any publication of said application or any continuations, divisions, or renewals of or substitutes for said application. We further assign to and authorize said assignee, to file in our names applications for Letters Patent in all countries, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent respectively may be granted, reissued or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made.

AND we hereby covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and we further covenant and agree that we will each time request is made and without undue delay, execute and deliver all such papers as may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said inventions or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent to said assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees, or legal representatives, and each of us agrees to communicate to said assignee or to its nominee all known facts respecting said inventions or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent, to testify in any legal proceedings, to sign all lawful papers to execute all disclaimers and divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, to make all rightful oaths, and generally to do everything possible to aid said assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees and legal representatives to

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obtain and enforce for its or their own benefit proper patent protection for said inventions or improvements in any and all countries.

AND we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue to said assignee, as assignee of our entire right, title and interest, any and all Letters Patent for said inventions or improvements, including any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued and granted on or as a result of the application aforesaid, in accordance with the terms of this assignment.

AND this Assignment may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original of this Assignment. Additionally, we hereby authorize our attorneys to collect the signature pages of each executed counterpart and to attach those signature pages to a single copy of this instrument, which single copy and attached signature pages together shall constitute an original of this Assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals.

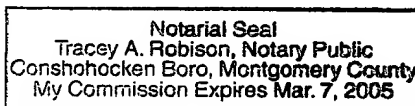
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Charles Kerins (L.S.)  
Charles Kerins

STATE OF Pennsylvania :  
COUNTY OF Montgomery : SS

On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Sept., year of 2004, before me personally came the above named Charles Kerins to me personally known and known to me to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that execution of the same was of that person's own free will for the use and purposes therein set forth.

Tracey A. Robinson  
Notary Public



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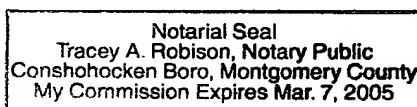
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Martin E. Hulick (L.S.)  
Martin Hulick

STATE OF Pennsylvania :  
COUNTY OF Montgomery : SS

On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Sept., year of 2004, before me personally came the above named Martin Mulick to me personally known and known to me to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that execution of the same was of that person's own free will for the use and purposes therein set forth.

Hacey A. Robinson  
Notary Public



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9/7/04  
Date

Stephen Hamaday (L.S.)  
Stephen Hamaday

STATE OF Pennsylvania :  
COUNTY OF Montgomery : SS

On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Sept., year of 2004, before me personally came the above named Stephen Hamaday to me personally known and known to me to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that execution of the same was of that person's own free will for the use and purposes therein set forth.

Tracey A. Robison  
Notary Public

Notarial Seal  
Tracey A. Robison, Notary Public  
Conshohocken Boro, Montgomery County  
My Commission Expires Mar. 7, 2005  
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

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08-SEP-2004

Date

Debbie J McQuiston

A.K.A. Deborah McQuiston (L.S.)

Deborah McQuiston

STATE OF Pennsylvania :  
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COUNTY OF Montgomery :

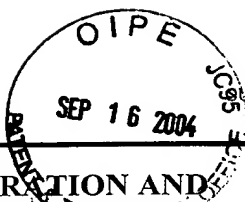
On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of September, year of 2007, before me personally came the above named Debbie McQuiston to me personally known and known to me to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that execution of the same was of that person's own free will for the use and purposes therein set forth.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

Notarial Seal  
Nancy L. Kirk, Notary Public  
Upper Providence Twp., Montgomery County  
My Commission Expires July 12, 2008

Member, Pennsylvania Association Of Notaries

Nancy L Kirk  
Notary Public



**DECLARATION AND  
POWER OF ATTORNEY  
FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN  
PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 CFR 1.63)**

☐ Declaration Submitted with Initial Filing OR ☒ Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing (surcharge (37 CFR 1.16 (e)) required)

Attorney Docket Number	20589Y
First Named Inventor	James M. Mundt
<b>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</b>	
Application Number	09/737,327
Filing Date	December 15, 2000
Group Art Unit	3629
Examiner Name	M.J. Fisher

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

BLISTER PACKAGE FOR PHARMACEUTICAL TREATMENT CARD

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

☒ bears the Attorney Docket Number and Title of the Invention noted above

OR  
☐ is attached hereto

OR  
☐ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) [ ] as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number [ ] and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) [ ] (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate(s), or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Attorney Docket Number	Priority Claimed?	
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☐ Additional foreign application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet PTO/SB/02B attached hereto.

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number(s)	Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Attorney Docket Number
60/246,934	11/09/2000	20589PV2
60/172,839	12/20/1999	20589PV

## DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY for Utility or Design Patent Application

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120 of any United States application(s), or 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

U.S. Parent Application or PCT Parent Application Number	Parent Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Parent Patent Number (if applicable)

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As a named inventor, I hereby appoint, respectively and individually, as my attorney(s) or agent(s) with full power of substitution and revocation, the following registered practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

☐ Customer Number   
 OR  
☒ Registered practitioner(s) name/registration number listed below

Name	Registration Number	Name	Registration Number
James M. Hunter, Jr.	31,922		
Mark R. Daniel	31,913		
Michael J. Bonella	41,628		


Direct all correspondence to: ☒ Customer Number

Name	James M. Hunter, Jr.				
Address	Merck & Co., Inc. - Patent Department				
Address	P.O. Box 2000, RY60-30				
City	Rahway	State	NJ	ZIP	07065-0907
Country	USA	Telephone	(732)594-8317	Fax	(732)594-

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Name of Sole or First Inventor: ☐ A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor

Given Name (first and middle [if any])	Family Name or Surname
Charles	Kerins

Inventor's Signature		Date	9-7-2004
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Residence: City	Wilmington	State	DE	Country	USA	Citizenship	USA
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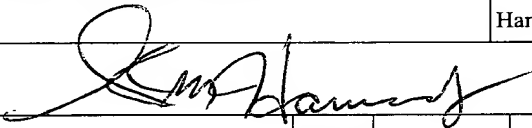
☒ Additional inventors are being named on the 1 supplemental Additional Inventors(s) sheet(s) PTO/SB/02A attached hereto.

**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

**ADDITIONAL INVENTOR(S)  
 Supplemental Sheet**

Name of Additional Joint Inventor, if any:		<input type="checkbox"/> A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor					
Given Name (first and middle [if any])				Family Name or Surname			
Martin				Hulick			
Inventor's Signature						Date	9/7/04
Residence: City	Warrington	State	PA	Country	US	Citizenship	USA
Post Office Address	Sharp Corporation						
City	Conshohocken	State	PA	ZIP	19428		

Name of Additional Joint Inventor, if any:		<input type="checkbox"/> A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor					
Given Name (first and middle [if any])				Family Name or Surname			
Stephen				Hamaday			
Inventor's Signature						Date	9/7/04
Residence: City	Collegeville	State	PA	Country	USA	Citizenship	USA
Post Office Address	Sharp Corporation						
City	Conshohocken	State	PA	ZIP	19428		

Name of Additional Joint Inventor, if any:		<input type="checkbox"/> A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor					
Given Name (first and middle [if any])				Family Name or Surname			
Deborah				McQuiston			
Inventor's Signature						Date	
Residence: City	Conshohocken	State	PA	Country	USA	Citizenship	USA
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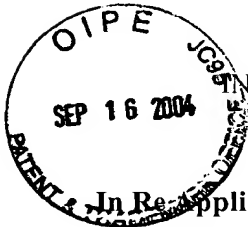
  

Name of Additional Joint Inventor, if any:		<input type="checkbox"/> A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor					
Given Name (first and middle [if any])				Family Name or Surname			
James M.				Mundt			
Inventor's Signature						Date	
Residence: City		State		Country		Citizenship	
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City	Rahway	State	NJ	ZIP	07065-0907		



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**AMENDMENT, REQUEST AND PROCESSING FEE TO DELETE AND/OR  
ADD TO ORIGINAL ERRONEOUSLY NAMED OR NOT NAMED INVENTOR(S)  
IN DECLARATION - NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.48(a)**

This amendment and request is to correct the incorrect original naming of inventor(s) in the declaration under 37 CFR § 1.48(a) as set forth and filed on .

Addition and/or Deletion of Inventor(s)

- ☒ Add the following previously unnamed person(s) as inventor(s) of this application:

**Charles Kerins**

**Martin Hulick**

**Stephen Hamaday**

**Deborah McQuiston**

- ☐ Delete the following previously incorrectly named inventor(s)

## Attachments

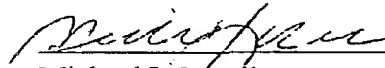
Attached is

- ☒ A statement from  
(check items that apply)
- ☒ each person being added as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part. 37 CFR § 1.48(a).
- ☐ each person being deleted as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part. 37 CFR § 1.48(a)(1).
- ☒ a declaration by each of the actual inventor(s) as required by 37 CFR § 1.63 (or as permitted by §§§ 1.42, 1.43, or 1.47. 37 CFR § 1.48(a)(2)).
- ☒ written assent of one of the assignees, Sharp Corporation, (if any of the original inventors executed an assignment). 37 CFR § 1.48(a)(4).

## Processing Fee Payment (37 CFR § 1.17(i))

- ☒ Is being paid by co-assignee Merck & Co.
- ☐ The Commission is hereby authorized to charge payment of the above fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3050. This sheet is attached in duplicate.

Date: September 13, 2004.

  
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